Commemorative Events for the First Anniversary of Foundation Day

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1. Major Events in 2014

There will be two major events in 2014: The 1st anniversary of Foundation Day in February and 2nd anniversary of True Father's Seonghwa in August.

The 1st anniversary of Foundation Day will be a held as a festival to celebrate the culture of heart and affirm the vision of Cheon II Guk. The purpose of the events is to build solidarity and reaffirm our identity as citizens of Cheon II Guk, and strengthen our global network as we move towards building one family under God.

The 2nd anniversary of True Father's Seonghwa will be commemorated as a peace festival for all humankind. The purpose of this commemoration will be to provide a venue to allow people to appreciate and pay tribute to the life and accomplishments of our True Parents. The anniversary this year will also focus on highlighting the fruits of True Parents' providential initiatives in North and South America. An international conference and World Summit is also being prepared at this time.

2. Main Foundation Day Commemorative Events:

1) Gyeongbae Ceremony to Commemorate the 1st Anniversary of Foundation Day

Date and Time: 7 AM, February 12, 2014 Venue: Main Hall, Cheon Jeong Gung Expected participants: True Parents' relatives and elder members of Korea, regional presidents, special envoys, national leaders, heads of providential organizations, representatives from Japan, and invited members

2) Commemoration of the First Anniversary of Foundation Day and the 2014 Cosmic Blessing by the True Parents of Heaven, Earth and Humankind

Date and Time: 10 AM, February 12, 2014 Venue: Cheongshim Peace World Center Expected participants: Brides and grooms, relatives, guests, FFWPU members worldwide

3) Celebratory Cultural Performance for the First Anniversary of Foundation Day

Date and Time: 11:20 AM, February 12, 2014 Venue: Cheongshim Peace World Center

4) Celebratory Luncheon for the First Anniversary of Foundation Day

Date and Time: 1:30 PM, February 12, 2014 Venue: Main Hall, Chung Pyung Heaven and Earth Training Center Participants: True Parents' relatives and elder members of Korea, regional presidents, special envoys, national leaders, heads of providential organizations, representatives from Japan, ambassadors for peace, and invited guests

3. Important Events to be held with the participation of True Parents:

1) Wonmo Pyeongae Foundation Scholarship Presentation Ceremony

Date and Time: 2 PM, February 9, 2014 Venue: Chapel, Cheon Jeong Gung Expected participants: Scholarship students, awardees, and invited guests

2) International Leadership Conference - "A New Paradigm for Peace, Partnership, and Development"

Date: February 9-13, 2014 Venue: Lotte World Hotel, Seoul Hosted by UPF, WFWP, FFWPU and sponsored by Segye Ilbo and The Washington Times Expected participants: Foreign dignitaries, women leaders and invited guests Key programs: Founder's address at Opening Ceremony, theme presentations, participation of Foundation Day commemorative events 3) Commemorative Banquet for the 25th Anniversary of the Founding of Segye Ilbo

Date and Time: 6 PM, February 11, 2014 Venue: Conrad Seoul Expected participants: Government officials, dignitaries from political and financial circles and the media, foreign leaders, regional presidents, and representatives from providential organizations and companies

4) Victory Celebration

Date and Time: 7 AM, February 13, 2014 Venue: Cheon Jeong Gung Expected participants: True Parents' relatives and elder members of Korea, regional presidents, special envoys, national leaders, heads of providential organizations and companies, invited members and church leaders from Korea and abroad

5) Inauguration Ceremony of the Promotion Committee for True Parents Life Museum

Date and Time: 10 AM, February 13, 2014 Venue: Chapel, Cheon Jeong Gung Expected participants: True Parents' relatives and elder members of Korea, regional presidents, special envoys, national leaders, heads of providential organizations and companies, invited members and church leaders from Korea and abroad

6) 2014 FFWPU World National Leaders Assembly

Date: February 13-17, 2014 Venue: Cheonga Camp, Chung Pyung Heaven and Earth Training Center, Guri Central Training Center Expected participants: Regional presidents, special envoys, national leaders, district leaders from Korea, Japan and USA, and administrative heads of regional headquarters

4. Other Optional Events for International Participants:

1) Special Lecture at National Assembly Library of Korea "Building a Roadmap for Peace in Northeast Asia"

Date and Time: 2 PM, February 10, 2014 Venue: Main Hall, National Assembly Library Organized by UPF and the office of Rep. Kim Eul-dong, member of the Korean National Assembly Sponsored by Segye Ilbo and the National Council of Ambassadors for Peace Expected participants: ILC participants, members of the Korean National Assembly, ambassadors for peace, and invited guests

Special address by Christopher R. Hill

2) World CARP Assembly "Establishing and Disseminating the Cheon II Guk Culture of Heart"

Date: February 11-13, 2014 Venue: Cheonga Camp Expected participants: World CARP members and college students from around the world

3) International Cheon Seong Gyeong Hoondok Reading Contest

Date and Time: 1 PM, February 11, 2014 Venue: Main Hall, Cheongshim Church Expected participants: All registered contestants, participants of the World CARP Assembly, and invited guests

4) International Divine Principle Lecture Contest

Date and Time: 4 PM, February 11, 2014 Venue: Main Hall, Cheongshim Church Expected participants: All registered contestants, participants of the World CARP Assembly, and invited guests

5) 2014 Education to Enhance the Capabilities of National Leaders

Date: February 20-27, 2014 Venue: Guri Central Training Center Expected participants: National leaders who wish to learn the basic elements for church growth

5. Local Events

February 4-12, Gana Art Gallery, Seoul

Special Exhibition in commemoration of the 25th anniversary of the Founding of Segye Ilbo Theme: "Beyond the Great Wall of China and Towards the World"

February 6-11, Holy Ground Pilgrimage in Korea

Holy Ground pilgrimage Holy ground destinations include the former Headquarters Church, Heukseok-dong, Blue Sea Garden, Beomnaetgol, and Yamok Church.

February 7, 2:00 PM, 19th floor, Korea Press Center

Commemorative seminars organized by the Youth Federation for World Peace Theme: "Current situation of and ways to promote education on sexual values"

February 7, 5:00 PM, Uni Hall, Segye Ilbo Building

2014 Multicultural Peace Building Drawing and Writing Contest There will be an awards ceremony for the winners.

February 8, 11:00 AM, 4th and 8th Floor, FFWPU Korea HQ building,

Academic and religious seminars organized by the Korea Religions Association and Professors World Peace Academy Theme: "The realization of an ideal world"

February 8, 2:00 PM, Event Hall, Seoul Citizens Hall

Book-sharing event "Thank you Korea!" This is a book-sharing event for Filipino multicultural families in Korea.

February 8, 2:00 PM, 3rd floor, Cheon Bok Gung, Seoul

Commemorative Praising Festival Local members will gather at Cheon Bok Gung to sing songs in celebration of Foundation Day and to pay tribute to True Parents' life

February 9, 5:00 PM, Universal Arts Center

3rd Dabok Festival organized by the Multicultural Welfare Center and Segye Ilbo This is an annual event to present awards and offer recognition for contributions made to multicultural families in Korea.

February 9, Local churches in Korea

2014 Love Sharing Festival An open Sunday service to celebrate with guests and local residents.

February 11, 2:00 PM, Convention Hall, Baekbeomgimgu Memorial Hall

Convention for the Peoples Committee in Preparation for the Reunification of Korea and overseas Korean leaders for building a foundation for the reunification of the Korean peninsula and for peace in Northeast Asia

Congratulatory remarks by local and foreign dignitaries, congratulatory performance

February 16, 3:00 PM, Universal Arts Center

Foundation Day Music Festival

Musical festival to celebrate Foundation Day

February 21-23, Cheonga Camp, Chung Pyung

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February 28-March 2, The Ocean Resort

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